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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

CHANGPENG ZHAO, aka "CZ,"

Defendant.

NO. CR23-179RAJ

CONSENT TO RULE 11
PLEA IN A FELONY CASE
BEFORE A UNITED
STATES MAGISTRATE
JUDGE

I have been advised by my attorney and by the United States Magistrate Judge of my right to enter my plea in this case before a United States District Judge. I hereby declare my intention to enter plea of guilty to the charge contained in Count 1 of the Information in the above case, and I request and consent to the acceptance of my plea by a United States Magistrate Judge pursuant to Rule 11 of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure.

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1 I understand that if the United States Magistrate Judge orders the preparation of a
2 presentence investigation report, the assigned United States District Judge will then decide
3 whether to accept or reject my plea of guilty and any plea agreement I may have with the
4 United States and will adjudicate guilt and impose sentence.

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6 DATED this 21st day of November, 2023.

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10 CHANGPENG ZHAO
Defendant

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13 WILLIAM A. BURCK
Attorney for Defendant

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17 /s Michael Dion
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